

# Waltham Forest Community Safety Board

## Aims

The aims of the Community Safety Board shall take into consideration the Crime and Disorder Act 1998<sup>1</sup>, and are also in accordance with section 106 of the Police and Criminal Evidence Act<sup>2</sup>;

- (i) To promote good relations between the local community and crime and disorder partnerships
- (ii) To provide an opportunity for liaison and consultation between all sections of the community and the crime and disorder partners.
- (iii) To provide a joint response to law and order problems within the Borough of Waltham Forest.

By supporting these aims the “Community Safety Board” will also be able to;

- (i) Support local community engagement to help secure effective citizen focussed, fair, accountable, responsive policing and community safety activity for all in Waltham Forest.
- (ii) Provide a forum in which local people can engage with: Waltham Forest Police, London Borough of Waltham Forest, the Metropolitan Police Authority and other crime and disorder partners in a constructive discussion and debate about community safety and policing issues in Waltham Forest.
- (iii) Enable people in Waltham Forest to understand, inform, influence and support or challenge policing and community safety issues and the policies that affect them.
- (iv) Support and also hold to account the Crime and Disorder Partnership in Waltham Forest named “SafetyNet”.
- (v) Be an inclusive body, promoting equal opportunities and diversity, which treats all people fairly and with respect. The Community Safety Board will not compromise its impartiality or tolerate discrimination in any form.

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<sup>1</sup> As noted in the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 with reference to the Government White Paper 2006

<sup>2</sup> Amended by the Police Reform Act 2002 & with reference to the Government White Paper 2006